



**DISTRICT and CHARTER SCHOOLS  
ARIZONA HIGHLY QUALIFIED  
MIDDLE, JUNIOR HIGH, HIGH SCHOOL, VISUAL ARTS, MUSIC  
TEACHER ATTESTATION**

(Pursuant to requirements mandated by P.L. 107-110 *No Child Left Behind* Legislation)  
(To be completed by Visual Arts, Music, and Departmentalized Teachers in Grades 7 – 12 in the following Core Academic Areas: English, Reading/Language Arts; Mathematics; Science (including Biology, Earth Science, General Science, Chemistry, and Physics); Foreign Language; *Economics, Civics/Government; History; Geography*)  
(High School Social Studies teachers must qualify in one of the italicized areas.)

Name:		District:	
SSN:		School:	

Please check where applicable:

1. Hold a bachelor's degree and
2. Hold a valid Arizona teaching certificate – intern, provisional, or standard (charter school teachers are exempt from this requirement).
- a. Elementary Certificate
- b. Secondary Certificate
- c. Special Education Certificate (List Disability Area(s): \_\_\_\_\_)

and

\*3. Teaching Assignment: \_\_\_\_\_  
(*grade(s) & core academic area*)

- a.  Passed the AEPA Subject Knowledge Test (first available in 1999) in the core academic subject area; **OR**
- b.  Hold an advanced degree in the core academic subject area; **OR**
- c.  Hold National Board Certification in the core academic subject area (Generalist Certificates are not acceptable); **OR**
- d.  A major or 24 credit hours in the core academic subject area; **OR**
- e.  Earned at least 100 points on the AZ HOUSSSE for Middle, Junior High, High School, Visual Arts, and Music Teachers (documentation required). **This option is available to veteran teachers who have taught at least one year.**

*If you checked 1, 2, and 3 (including 3a, 3b, 3c, 3d or 3e), under federal guidelines you are considered **highly qualified**. If you were not able to mark 3a, 3b, 3c, 3d or 3e, you have not met the requirements of the No Child Left Behind Act to be highly qualified.*

**Highly Qualified Teacher**

**Non-Highly Qualified Teacher**  
(Individual Teacher Plan required)

I attest to the factual completion of this evaluation.

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature of Teacher*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Printed Name of Principal*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature of Principal*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

**\*Teacher must complete a Teacher Attestation for each core academic subject area she/he is assigned to teach.**